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Monday Afternoon

March 7, 2005

The Senate convened at 1:36 p.m., with the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Robert D. Garton, in the Chair.

Prayer was offered by Pastor Kevin Holt, Glad Tidings Church, Muncie, the guest of Senator Allie V. Craycraft, Jr.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Senator Craycraft.

The Chair ordered the roll of the Senate to be called. Those present were:

Alting	Long
Antich-Carr ▣	Lubbers
Bowser	Lutz
Bray	Meeks
Breaux	Merritt
Broden	Miller
Clark	Mishler
Craycraft	Mrvan
Dillon	Nugent
Drozda	Paul
Ford	Riegsecker
Gard	Rogers
Garton	Server
Harrison	Simpson
Heinold	Sipes
Hershman ▣	Skinner
Howard	Smith
Hume	Steele ▣
Jackman	Waltz
Kenley	Waterman ▣
Kruse	Weatherwax
Lanane	Wyss
Landske	Young, M.
Lawson	Young, R.
Lewis	Zakas

Roll Call 284: present 46; excused 4. [Note: A ▣ indicates those who were excused.] The Chair announced a quorum present. Pursuant to Senate Rule 5(d), no motion having been heard, the Journal of the previous day was considered read.

RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING

Senate Concurrent Resolution 34

Senator Gard called up Senate Concurrent Resolution 34 for second reading. The resolution was read a second time by title and adopted by voice vote. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the resolution. House sponsors: Representatives Wolkins and Stilwell.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills and resolutions were read a first time by title and referred to the respective committees:

HB 1073 — Riegsecker (Governmental Affairs and Interstate Cooperation)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

HB 1666 — Jackman (Appropriations)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning agriculture and animals and to make an appropriation.

HB 1789 — Smith, Waterman (Corrections, Criminal, and Civil Matters)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

House Concurrent Resolution 19

House Concurrent Resolution 19, sponsored by Senator Lanane:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION memorializing U.S. Army Specialist Raymond White.

Whereas, Specialist Raymond White from Elwood, Indiana, was killed in the line of duty in Iraq on November 12, 2004;

Whereas, Specialist White, 22, served in the Army's 1st Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division in Fort Hood, Texas, and was deployed to Iraq in January 2004;

Whereas, Specialist White and his unit were on patrol in Baghdad in three military vehicles when they were ambushed by insurgents;

Whereas, The first vehicle in the convoy was disabled by the attackers, and the gun on the second vehicle jammed;

Whereas, Specialist White, a 2001 Frankton High School graduate, was the only one able to return fire;

Whereas, Specialist White's heroic actions saved the lives of his fellow soldiers but cost him his own life;

Whereas, Specialist White believed from an early age that it was his duty to join the military to protect his family and his country and to make the world safer so that democracy could endure; and

Whereas, Throughout history, brave men like Specialist White have made the ultimate sacrifice in defense of freedom throughout the world; without men like Specialist White, freedom could not survive: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to pay tribute to an outstanding American who gave his life in defense of freedom. Specialist Raymond White was killed on the front lines fighting to preserve freedom. Specialist White died doing what he believed in. The Representatives and Senators of the Indiana General Assembly extend their deepest sympathy to Specialist White's family.

SECTION 2. That the passing of Specialist Raymond White has left a void that cannot be filled, and he is mourned across the length and breadth of the state.

SECTION 3. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to his father, Henry White, and his mother, Sharon White.

The resolution was read in full and adopted by standing vote. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the resolution.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senators Alting, Antich-Carr, Bowser, Bray, Breaux, Broden, Clark, Craycraft, Dillon, Drozda, Ford, Gard, Garton, Harrison, Heinold, Hershman, Howard, Hume, Jackman, Kenley, Kruse, Landske, Lawson, Lewis, Long, Lubbers, Lutz, Meeks, Merritt, Miller, Mishler, Mrvan, Nugent, Paul, Riegsecker, Rogers, Server, Simpson, Sipes, Skinner, Smith, Steele, Waltz, Waterman, Weatherwax, Wyss, M. Young, R. Young, and Zakas be added as cosponsors of House Concurrent Resolution 19.

LANANE

Motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills 1073 and 1666 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS
Principal Clerk of the House

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed House Concurrent Resolution 19 and the same is herewith transmitted for further action.

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS
Principal Clerk of the House

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lewis be added as cosponsor of Engrossed House Bill 1078.

WEATHERWAX

Motion prevailed.

2:05 p.m.

The Chair declared a recess until the fall of the gavel.

Recess

The Senate reconvened at 2:09 p.m., with Senator Garton in the Chair.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move we adjourn until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 8, 2005.

LONG

Motion prevailed.

The Senate adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

MARY C. MENDEL
Secretary of the Senate

REBECCA S. SKILLMAN
President of the Senate